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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)**

Applicants submit this Substitute Information Disclosure Statement to correct a typographical error appearing in an Information Disclosure Statement filed February 4, 2005, *i.e.*, the application number on Form PTO/SB/08. Applicants resubmit Form PTO/SB/08 for the Examiner's consideration, showing the correct application number as 10/826,251. All of the references were previously submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement filed on February 4, 2005, and are not enclosed.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

The following is a concise statement of relevance of the non-English language documents.

1. Japanese Patent Publication No. 2001-206205 is discussed beginning at page 1 of the specification.

2. Japanese Patent Publication No. 4-232154 is discussed beginning at page 2 of the specification.

3. Japanese Patent Publication No. 2002-517352 corresponds to WO99/64281 and an English Abstract of said document is attached.

Applicants also wish to draw the Examiner's attention to a related pending patent application, No. 10/839,137, filed May 6, 2004, assigned to the same assignee as the present case.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that each or all of the listed documents are material or constitute "prior art." If the Examiner applies any of the documents as prior art against any claim in the application and applicants determine that the cited documents do not constitute "prior art" under United States law, applicant reserves the right to present to the Patent and Trademark Office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents.

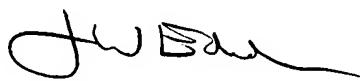
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